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To The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
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The Official Action PTOL-326 dated 19, April 2001 (paper number 5), has been carefully studied and taken into consideration.

Attached to the present you will find

- New claims 35-48 to replace claims 20-34.
- ANNEX showing the differences between the claims 20-34 and the claims 35-48 filed herewith.
- Applicant's Notes

Herewith, I would like to ask for the continuation of the examination on the basis of the following application documents:

- specification pages 1 to 9 as currently in file
- claims 35 to 48, as filed herewith,
- abstract as currently in file
- sheets with drawings as currently in file.

~~Claims 20 to 34 are cancelled.~~

The applicant believes that a patent may be granted on the basis of the present documents. Should the examiner has any further objections the

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